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18 March 1949

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Chief, Near East/Africa Branch Chief, Far East/Pacific Branch

Chief, Northern Branch

Chief, Latin American Branch Chief. Western Europe Branch

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Chief, Staff Intelligence Group

SUBJECT:

IM-144 - Soviet-Communist Capabilities for Sabotage

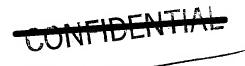
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A. List of 52 countries

- 1. The Problem is to estimate general Soviet-Communist capabilities for significant sabotage in the countries listed in enclosure A.
- 2. Sabotage is defined by Reference as "obstructing in all ways, short of actual combat operations, the regular process of production or operation of civil or military installations."
  - 3. Form of Presentation.
- B. Estimates are requested for each country listed, using one of the following categories:
  - Sabotage definitely to be expected
  - Sabotage probably to be expected
  - Sabotage possibly to be expected
  - Sporadic sabotage only
  - No sabotage indicated
- b. Each estimate is to be supported by a brief substantiating statement, which should be based on the following, or additional, factors
  - (1) Hard core CP strength, distribution, and quality of leadership
  - (2) Significant concentrations of civil and military installations



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(3) Capacity of internal security forces to provide effective counteraction

(4) Political, economic, and social factors offering significant opportunity for CP action

4. Global Survey Group Room 2511, Extension 2869) has been assigned responsibility for the composite report. A meeting of Branch representatives is scheduled for 1400, Monday, 21 March, in Room 2216.

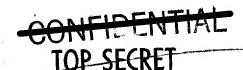
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5. Deadline for Branch contributions is Wednesday, 30 March; for final paper, Tuesday, 5 April 1949.



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